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**METHOD, APPARATUS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR
INTEGRATING HETEROGENEOUS SYSTEMS**

Application No. 09/683,902

Examiner J. R. Maniwang

Art Unit 2144

Amendment Transmittal

Amendment After Final

GB20000092US1

(590.169)

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Serial No. : 09/683,902 Examiner : J. R. Maniwang
Filed : February 28, 2002 Group Art Unit : 2144
For : METHOD, APPARATUS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT
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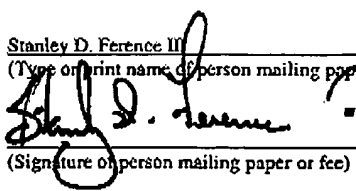
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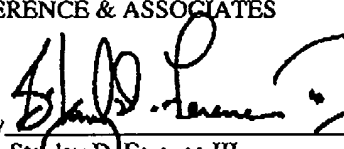
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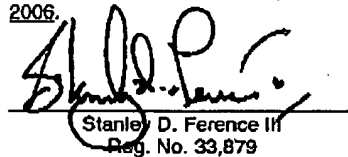
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 18, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 14 of this paper.